

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF: T. SAWADA , et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/856,162

GROUP: 1711

FILED: September 21, 2001

EXAMINER: M. Bissett

TITLE: Protecting Film For Polarizing Plate And Polarizing Plate



THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS  
AND TRADEMARKS  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

TRANSMITTED HEREWITH IS AN [X] AMENDMENT, [ ] REPLY, [ ] AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION IN THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION.

- [ ] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [ ] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [ ] No additional fee is required.

THE FEE HAS BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:

| CLAIMS | REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDENT | HIGH.#<br>PREV.<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA | SMALL ENTITY<br>RATE ADD'L<br>FEE | OTHER THAN A<br>SMALL ENTITY<br>RATE ADD'L<br>FEE |
|--------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| TOTAL  | 19                             | MINUS                       | 20               | - 0                               | X9=\$   |
| INDEP. | 9                              | MINUS                       | 3                | - 6                               | X42=\$  |

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| [ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF<br>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |                       | +140=\$ | +280=\$ |
|   | TOTAL<br>ADD'L<br>FEE |         | \$504   |

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1424. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

- Any additional filing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.  
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 Any extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

[ ] Please charge my deposit account No. 20-1424 in the amount of \$

[ ] A check in the amount \$ 504 is attached.

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AMENDMENT

**NON-FEE AMENDMENT**  
Honorable Commissioner of  
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Sir:

Responsive to the official Office Action mailed December 4, 2002, in the matter of the above-identified application, kindly amend the same as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Kindly substitute the amended Table 1' for the original Table 1' as follows:

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